

Abstract

Method for manipulation identification on a sensor

5 The invention relates to a method for identification of manipulations on an arrangement comprising a sensor (S) which emits pulses and a recording unit (RM). Particularly in the case of a tachograph (DTCO), any possibility of manipulation must be overcome. For this purpose, the invention proposes that
10 the sensor (S) transmits real time pulses (RTS) to the recording unit (RM) and, cyclically in response to first request instructions (1.0), transmits higher data signals (DS) for a measurement, and receives a number of real time pulses (RTSN) in response to second request instructions (2.0) which
15 are offset in time with respect to the first request instructions (1.0). A data signal evaluation module (DSE) compares the number of real time pulses (RTSN) with the number of data signal pulses (DSN) and thus achieves a very high level of security against manipulation.

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(Figure 1)